Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 14 Jun 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 15 Jun 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 13 Jun 2024 at 14:01

Confidence: High for unsettled conditions through the period. Low in terms of the shower details and for the position of any organised or slow-moving bands of rain or showers.

Headline for Friday 14 Jun 2024: Dull and drizzly start. Then spells of rain and heavy, locally thundery, showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 14 Jun 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Fog	Heavy Rain	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
80%	70%	60%	60%	70%	60%	40%	20%

Forecast for Friday 14 Jun 2024

Weather: Low cloud and patchy drizzle will clear through the early hours with winds easing somewhat. Cloud then lifting and breaking but with bands of showers or rain soon arriving from the west developing. Showers becoming widespread by the afternoon and likely merging to give longer spells of rain. Showers likely heavy at times and could be accompanied by thunder and hail. Showers will persist into the evening, but likely easing with some clear spells overnight. Feeling chilly within showers and on the hills, but warmer in any sunny spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% at first in the west, 40% elsewhere. Rising to 60% across the park from mid-morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud around 400-500m first thing, mainly in drizzle and across western facing slopes. Cloud lifting and breaking shortly after dawn from the west to above 800m, although bases are expected to lower to around 600m in and around heavy showers, shrouding most higher routes. Visibility excellent outside of precipitation, but very poor in early drizzle or hill fog and moderate to poor in heavy rain or showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	29/36 SW	26/34 SW	23/31 SW	23/32 SW	25/35 SW	23/33 SW	21/29 SW	22/28 SW	21/27 SW
600	19/26 SW	19/26 SW	18/25 SW	18/26 SW	20/29 SW	19/29 SW	18/26 SW	15/22 S	14/21 SW
300	13/24 SW	13/23 SW	12/22 SW	13/24 SW	15/27 SW	14/26 SW	14/24 SW	10/19 S	9/18 S
Valley	13/24 SW	12/22 SW	12/21 SW	13/22 SW	14/26 SW	14/25 SW	13/22 SW	10/19 S	10/19 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	7/1	6/1	5/0	6/0	6/1	6/1	5/-0	4/-1	4/-2
600	9/5	8/4	8/3	8/4	8/4	9/5	7/3	6/2	6/2
300	11/8	10/7	10/7	10/7	11/8	12/9	10/7	9/6	8/6
Valley	12/10	11/9	11/9	12/9	13/10	14/11	12/10	10/8	10/7
Freezing Level*	2000m	1800m	1700m	1500m	1500m	1500m	1400m	1500m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Winds may be higher than those in the table above over the highest summits and ridges initially, with gusts possibly reaching 50 mph making for very difficult walking conditions. "Feels-like" temperatures near freezing on summits. Sudden deterioration of conditions in association with showers. Layers of warm, waterproof and windproof clothing advised. High UV levels in any spells of sunshine.

Forecast for Saturday 15 Jun 2024

Weather: Continuation of unsettled theme with areas of rain and showers which may be slow-moving. These showers will likely be occasionally heavy and may turn thundery during the afternoon. Clear spells overnight. Feeling cooler.

Maximum wind: Southwest 20-25 mph with gusts 30-40mph, easing west 15mph by the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% in the west, 40% in the east. 70% overnight, mainly in the east.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud may affect lower slopes in the west during the morning, with tops above 600m shrouded elsewhere. Should rain turn more persistent or slow-moving, bases may lower to around 400-500m. Banks of cloud around 400m forming in the west overnight. Visibility very good, but moderate to poor in showers or heavy rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 Celsius rising to Plus 13 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius rising to Plus 7 Celsius by late afternoon.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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